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TO AMEMBASSY GABORONE

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FROM OPIC

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SUBJECT: INFEASIBILITY OF FRESH BEEF EXPORTS TO U.S.

ATTENTION; R. HOOVER

1. PLEASE ADVISE ROBERT DEAN, ECONOMIC ADVISER TO OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, TELEPHONE 5420, OF FOLLOWING, IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRY MADE TO OPIC OFFICER TODD PARNELL. U.S. DEPT. AGRICULTURE PROHIBITS IMPORTS OF FRESH BEEF FROM ANY COUNTRY IN AFRICA INCLUDING BOTSWANA, DUE TO INCIDENCE OF HOOF AND MOUTH DISEASE IN AFRICA, AND POSSIBILITY OF CONTAGION TO AMERICAN CATTLE. AFRICAN SLAUGHTERHOUSE CONDITIONS ALSO DO NOT MEET U.S. STANDARDS. DO NOT FEEL U.S. POSITION WILL CHANGE IN FORSEEABLE FUTURE.

2. WE WILL ADVISE DEAN IN LETTER TO FOLLOW. THANKS. KISSINGER

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